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பைலாப்படி தகுதியுள்ள 30 பேர்கள் மெம்பர்களாகச் சேர்க்கப்பட்டுக்கூட இதுவரை அவர்களை அங்கிகரித்து வேலை கொடுக்கப்படவில்லை எனவும் கூறும் விண்ணப்பம் ஒன்று சர்க்காருக்கு வந்துள்ளதா ?

(இ) அப்படியானால், அதன்மீது சர்க்கார் எடுத்த நடவடிக்கை என்ன ?

The Hon. Sri R. VENKATARAMAN : (*a*) No such representation as has been mentioned has been received by Government.

(*b*) Does not arise.

House-rent allowance

* 386 *Q.*—Sri K. VINAYAKAM (on behalf of Sri T. T. DANIEL) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state whether there is any proposal to grant house allowances to all teachers working in aided schools?

The Hon. Sri C. SUBRAMANIAM : No, Sir.

Sri K. VINAYAKAM : Is it not a fact that teachers working in Government institutions are paid house-rent allowance? If so, how do the Government justify the invidious distinction shown to same category of teachers in aided schools?

The Hon. Sri C. SUBRAMANIAM : This question is with reference to teachers employed in aided schools. It is for the aided schools to consider programme of housing their teachers. As far as Government servants are concerned, it is the responsibility of Government.

Sri K. VINAYAKAM : Till the housing scheme is formulated for the benefit of the teachers employed in aided schools in the City of Madras and mufassal, will the Government consider the possibility of paying house-rent allowance to the teachers in aided schools?

The Hon. Sri C. SUBRAMANIAM : Just now we have given increased scales of pay to all teachers. I do not think Government would be able to consider any other scheme which would result in financial liability as far as this question is concerned.

(*House-site*) *Harijans*

* 387 *Q.*—Sri V. K. KOTHANDARAMAN (on behalf of Sri M. JAGANNATHAN) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Works be pleased to state the reasons for the delay in providing house-sites to the Harijans of Ganapathipet village, Tindivanam taluk, South Arcot district?

The Hon. Sri P. KAKKAN : The provision of house-sites for the Harijans of Ganapathipet village involves the wholesale shifting of the existing Harijan Colony to a better place. Patta lands selected for the purpose have to be acquired.